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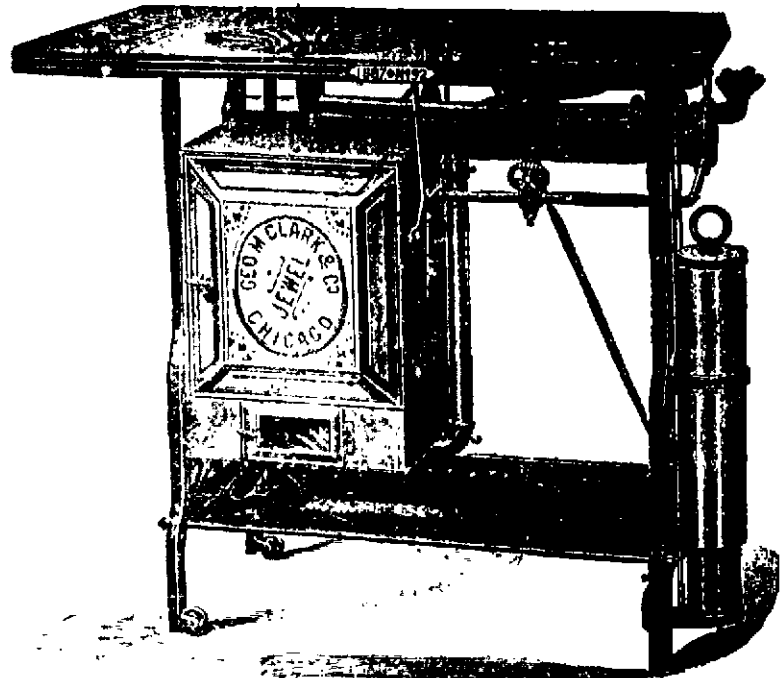
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DINGES & COOP.

TUESDAY EVE, JULY 19, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS.

See It—The Canadian Lamp, now on sale at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co's.

The Decatur club goes to Champaign tomorrow for two games.

The Jewel is the oil stove you want. Get it at Lytle & Eckels hardware store.

Do not neglect to attend the social and refreshment festival this evening in the Edmund street chapel.

"Milk Shake" at Irwin's drug store.

The regular season will open at the Opera House Wednesday Aug. 31 with Harry Miner's big Silver King Company.

One grocery firm in Decatur makes a clever hit. On the door of the store is posted this notice: "10 miles to the next grocery store."

The Fiske Brothers announce the opening of the furniture store in Court House block in this issue.

This county board is in session to receive the report of the committee on equalization of taxes, and to attend to other matters of interest.

Stor at J. Lytle & Co's grocery store and get Jersey milk in bottles and Vienna bread.

The North street M. E. church property at Danville was sold at auction Saturday. Three lots brought \$15,175, and the building \$452.

The best flour is White Leaf and Daily Bread, made by Shellabarger & Co.

Masters in Chancery Brown will sell, tomorrow at 2 p. m., under a decree of the circuit court, the Willoughby farm, near Macon, containing 180 acres of choice land.

At the same hour on Thursday the Master will sell the Wykel property, on South Main street. Both of these offer fine opportunities to parties who are seeking profitable investments. Watch these chances.

You will find everything you want in the grocery line at Knudde & Osborne's family store.

The pall-bearers at the funeral of Stephen Mahanah were John Scott, James Millikin, Chat. Traugher, M. J. Thomas, James Durand and John Ulrich.

Buy your groceries at Hanks & Patterson's family store, 149 South Water St. Fresh butter a specialty.

CALL on the Fiske Brothers in court house block. They will give you bargains in furniture, queenware and hardware.

CHAUNCEY TURNER has had T. W. McCool placed under bonds of \$200 at Danville City, for making an assault on him. Turner is under bonds in Decatur for making an assault on Mr. McCool. The two trials will keep the young men busy for a while.

Don't fail to see those elegant rigs at A. Kramer's factory before purchasing elsewhere.

Buy your groceries at Niedermeyer's store, on the mound.

"Milk Shake" at Irwin's drug store.

Saturday's Storm at Wausau, Wis. MILWAUKEE, July 19.—A Wausau, Wis. special to the Journal says: Reports of accidents by the fearful wind storm of Saturday are coming in slowly.

John Simonsen, a painter, was blown from a ladder and his leg broken.

Chas. Hammond was struck on the head by a flying brick, and is in a critical condition.

Many cattle were killed.

Crops of all kinds were badly damaged. The grain and potato stands at the fair grounds were leveled to the ground.

It was by far the most severe storm that ever visited this section. The damage can not be estimated.

Knights of Labor Taking the Places of Strikers.

Fire in a Drug Store.
There was quite a flurry this forenoon on Water street, caused by a little accidental fire in the rear of the cellar at the Henry Smith drug store. S. M. Riggs, the clerk, had gone into the cellar to draw a can of varnish from a barrel. It was dark and when he thought the can was nearly full he struck a match. Instantly there was a fire caused by the evaporation of the turpentine. The flames flared up from the can and set fire to half a dozen brooms overhead, but Riggs didn't lose his head. He carried the blazing can in his hand up the back steps and threw it into the yard. Hastily getting a can of water he hurried back and put out the fire before it got under headway. The alarm brought the department to the scene but their services were not required. Turning the corner at Water and Main streets, the Chemical engine ran a short distance on two wheels, the other two being about four feet from the ground. The guard rail of the street car track caused the unexpected tip-up. Dick Devore and another fireman were thrown into the street. There was no damage done. The fire in the cellar was a close call. Had it got anything like a start there would have been a big conflagration in the heart of the city.

A Welcome Change.
The cool breeze of last night that came down upon us from the northwest lowered the temperature, within 12 hours, just 30 degrees, and made refreshing sleep a possibility. It was indeed a welcome change, and was duly appreciated by sweltering humanity.

A Dime Circus.
Capt. Harry Knapp, general agent for the Tribune & Co. Dime Circus, is in the city. The show will exhibit on the Washburn depot lot, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. It is said to be the best 10-cent show traveling.

Vandalism by Boys.
Mr. Charnot, a coal miner, is looking for a gang of young vandals in the second ward. If he finds them there will be trouble in the courts. Mr. C. has two boys who are sent about the city daily driving a small mule to a cart, for the purpose of gathering up slops. The boys hit the mule, on Saturday evening, to a rack on North Church street. While they were gone down town a party of unknown vandals came along and drove the mule to the Washburn track. There they made the animal get down on its knees, and they tied the mule and cart to the track where it could be struck by a passing train. There the rig was found by the Charnot boys at 8:30 o'clock at night, and was removed just in time to save the mule and cart from destruction.

The City and County.
I will show by figures (and figures won't lie) that the personal property assessment of the city of Decatur is 50 per cent. higher than the balance of the county. I will first notice the item of household and kitchen furniture. Valuation of the town of Decatur, \$115,000; valuation outside of the city of Decatur, \$68,000, which shows that the assessment of the town of Decatur is \$47,000 more than the entire balance of the county. Average value of houses in city of Decatur, \$424.46; in balance of county, \$26. Average value of cattle in city of Decatur, \$19.74; in balance of county, \$9.10. Average value of wagons in city, \$34.92; in balance of county, \$9.20. Average value of sewing machines in city, \$10.13; in balance of county, \$6.80. Pianos in city, \$50; in balance of county, \$24.40. Billiard tables in city, \$48.80; outside, \$14. Merchandise in city, \$217,570; in balance of county, \$60,000. Monies of town of Decatur, \$32,000; in balance of county, \$44,000. Entire assessed amount of city of Decatur, \$1,800,000; town of Decatur, \$620,000. The city of Decatur has a gain over the assessment of last year of about \$40,000 on real and personal property, while the county outside has a falling off of \$114,000. FRED J. SMITH.

DECATUR will have the incontestable light system about September 1st. The gas company will expend \$20,000 in establishing the plant.

THERE is some trouble with water and quick-sand at the natural gas well. But little progress has been made this week.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Olive Oglesby, of Springfield, is in the city on a visit.

Mrs. Clay Dempsey is home from Chicago, after an absence of several weeks.

Press Butler, the Bloomington detective, is dangerously ill at his home.

Mrs. C. B. Hewitt, of South Chicago, is in the city visiting friends.

Eugene McClure has accepted the position of book-keeper for the grain firm of DuPont & Co.

Justice Curtis, who was dangerously ill yesterday and last night, is some better this afternoon.

Mrs. DeForest, of St. Louis, wife of Rev. Joseph DeForest, is visiting relatives in the city.

W. C. Andrews was prostrated by the heat yesterday while on Franklin street. It took him several days to recover from his dizziness.

Charles Montgomery, of Elwin, brother of James Montgomery, left today for Kansas City, where he was probably engaged in the grocery business.

GOLD-HEADED Silk Umbrellas, the finest in market, at B. SINE'S.

Stairs to fit and please anyone. Call at Cheap Charley's.

Nubian.
The patent Kimball buttonhole which will not stretch or give out. This makes the sleeve retain its shape. For sale in Nubian kid. FOWKES & HAVORTH, July 12-12v

THE Pianos and Organs sold by Prescott, have been for many years in the market, and always found as represented. Examine his stock before placing your orders and you will be sure to buy.

GIVE the new firm, the Fiske Brothers, a share of your patronage. They are owners of the Liddle stock. See their advertisement in this issue.

Attention, Dunham Post, G. A. R. Comrades will be certain to be present at Post meeting this (Tuesday) evening, 19th inst., as the "Dependent Pension Bill" will be submitted to a vote of the Post.

By order of
JOHN A. BARNES, P. C.
C. R. SPOER, Adj't.

YOUNG Men's Gospel meeting on Tuesday evening, July 19, at 8 o'clock. Topic, "Submission." James 4-7.

FIFTY new styles in box papers at Saxton's Book Store.

Fire at the Utery Home.
The large dwelling of Eli Utery in Mt. Zion township, narrowly escaped total destruction by fire at one o'clock this morning. The smell of smoke awakened the family, when it was found that the large wood-shed at the rear of the house was a mass of flames, the fire pouring in to the kitchen through the open door. Mrs. Utery ran a distance of half a mile to the home of Mr. Karch for assistance, and when the neighbors assembled, by united efforts the main part of the building was saved. The wood-shed, smoke-house, part of the kitchen and 20 cords of wood were consumed. Holes were burnt in the roof of the main building. Fortunately the wind blew the flames just past the corner of the brick. The loss is believed at \$400. No insurance. It is believed that the wood-shed was set on fire. The owner of the property is in the west, on his cattle ranch. His son is in charge of the place.

Death of Mrs. Fluemer.
Mrs. Anna Louisa Fluemer, in the 78d year of her age, died last night at 11:30 o'clock at the home of her step-daughter Mrs. Frank Meyer, 268 South Broadway. She was afflicted with inflammation of the bowels. Mrs. Fluemer's husband died in Decatur about three years ago. He was past 70. The deceased was born in Germany, in February 1814 and had lived in Decatur over 20 years. Frank Fluemer, the grocer, is her son. The funeral will take place from the German Lutheran Church to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Landgraf officiating.

THE NATIONAL GAME.
Hard Hitting by the Decatur Sluggers Earns an Easy Victory over Peoria.

Young Riley, the young pitcher from Peoria, who has been spoken of as highly, was the star for the Decatur sluggers in the contest with the Peoria Reds at the park Monday afternoon. He was hit hard by the home team, Turner making a slashing hit to right center clean to the fence for a home run. He was over the plate before the ball got to second base. The crowd cheered the player heartily. There were several two and three batters. All of the Decatur players played well. Owing to sudden illness Staley let up a little in his speed in the fifth inning when the Peorians bunched their hits and got the four runs. The Peoria boys are quick fiddlers and run bases well but they were unable to hit Staley effectively. They need about five better players.

Team	Runs	Hits	Errors	Lefts
Decatur	10	16	1	10
Peoria	4	12	2	10

By Innings—
Decatur—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Peoria—0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0
Total—10 16 3 12 11 10 10 10 10

Two base hits, Cahill, Staley, O'Brien and Bamberger; three base hits, Turner, Lawrence and Ferrell; home run, Turner; struck out, by Staley 10; by Riley 2; passed balls, Trunchum 1; bases on balls, Varis and Devore; left on bases, Decatur 9; Peoria 4; bases stolen, by Decatur 10; by Peoria 5; double plays, Staley to Lawrence to Peoria; Bingham to Woodard to O'Brien; time of game, 2:15; Umpire, Mills.

Copeland's arm was injured in Saturday's game. It is dangerous for him to use it at present.

Staley was taken suddenly ill in the fifth inning yesterday, and let up on his speed. That is why the Peorians were able to bunch their hits. He was sick before the game began. He made a daring one and stop of a hard hit ball that sent the runner.

Mike Harley is manager of the visiting club. He has been nipping for western and association league clubs.

Colgan will probably be engaged to catch regularly for the Decatur club. He is a valuable man—a good batter and a sure throw to second.

Decatur will play two games in Champaign this week.

At Danville yesterday the Champaign Clippers were defeated by the Platts, 7 to 5; at Bloomington the Crawfordsvilles were beaten by the Reds, 19 to 13.

Tommy McMahon, the noted Detroit athlete, has branched out as a professional ball player, a wise move on his part. He is manager, captain and second baseman of the Bloomington club, and leads his team in batting.

The members of the Macedonia Baptist church will give a sociable Wednesday, July 27th, for the benefit of the church. Come one, come all. Ten cents admission; children under ten years, 5 cents.

NOTICE.
All persons knowing themselves indebted to the
Estate of R. Liddle, Deceased,
are hereby requested to make payment to the undersigned at the store in court house block, on or before August 15, 1887, after which date legal steps must be taken to collect the same.

L. Bunnows, Adm'r.

A Card.
On behalf of myself and family I desire to express our sincere thanks to our kind friends and neighbors for their sympathy and assistance during the sickness and after the death of my wife. We will never forget their many acts of neighborly kindness.

JOHN GORDY.

ALWAYS buy Hatfield & Co's White Foam flour.

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LIGHT-WEIGHT Flannel Shirts, neatly made, perfect fits, elegant shades, well adapted for clerks, book-keepers and business men generally, at B. SINE'S.

BODILY health and vigor may be maintained as easily in the heat of summer, as in the winter months, if the blood is purified and vitalized with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Every person who has used this remedy has been greatly benefited. Take it this month.

ICE—I am now delivering ice to all parts of the city. Leave orders at Joe. Mich's cigar store, or telephone 176. apr14-dtf

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BUY a Hammock and take life easy. An immense stock at Saxton's. 25-dtf

THE CITY BOSSES.
They Meet and Consider Municipal Affairs—Odds and Ends.

At the regular session of the city council last evening all members were present.

Ald. Harwood offered a motion that when the council adjourns it will be adjourned to Saturday evening, July 23d. Adopted.

R. P. Lytle, representing 60 feet; S. D. May, 45 feet; Samuel Tibbette, 60; R. H. Meriwether, 60; D. H. Holman, 60; Jane Chew, 40; I. Baldwin, 126; S. G. Hatch, 50—a total of 510 feet in the block, asked that the Citizens' company be granted permission to build a switch on their line from west side of Edward street to the east side of College street. C. L. Griswold and J. W. Race living on the block did not. The prayer of the petitioners was granted.

14,371.

J. H. Conrad, census taker for the Decatur school district, reported 3,759 inhabitants in the 1st ward; 2,649 in the second ward; 2,238 in the 3rd ward; 2,218 in the 4th ward; 2,737 in the 5th ward—a total inside of city limits, 13,601; total outside of limits, all within three blocks of limits, 770; grand total, 14,371. Ordered spread upon the records.

Engineer Barnett for June reported 326,550 pounds of coal used at water works; 71,710,214 gallons water pumped; electric light engine run 112 hours and 40 minutes; pay roll, \$290. Placed on file.

F. B. Tait, J. B. Winebrenner, H. McDermott, J. L. Peake, John DeFratus and others asked that the grade of East Jefferson street, between South Water and Franklin streets, be brought to grade before the workmen leave it. Granted.

Twenty-seven residents of the 5th ward asked that all applications for the sale of liquor in that ward be refused. Placed on file.

Lytle & Eckels asked permission to extend sewer pipe through the wall between Nos. 123 and 135 North Water street, for water closet purposes. Referred to water committee with power to act.

Thirteen grocers petitioned that the Kendall Mfg Co. be allowed to canvass the city for "Soapine." The application was rejected.

Ald. Metz and Foster offered a resolution that an ordinance be presented for the opening of Franklin street from East Decatur street south to Sheridan street. Adopted.

The disposition of the Troutman, Moore and Harpstrite cobblestone gutter on West Main street, was referred to public improvement committee with power to act.

Ald. Metz offered a resolution that the attention of the board of health be called to the condition in which the St. Nicholas and St. Charles hotels keep their slops. Adopted.

The sealed bids for sewers were referred to the committee on public improvements to report Saturday night.

The loss of a carload of coal for delivery at the water works will be investigated by Ald. Harwood.

Ald. Muzzy gave notice that the streets and alleys committee would meet on Tuesday evening to attend to matters under consideration.

The street superintendent was authorized to sell J. W. Race what cobblestones he may desire.

The Mayor and committee on light were authorized to sell the old street lamps. Adjourned.

On Wednesday John A. Brown, Master in Chancery, under decree of the court in the case of Edna Ticknor vs. Elias Ticknor and others, sold 237 acres of fine land near Niantic. The purchaser was Mrs. Ticknor whose bid was \$12,100. She also paid \$165.98 for 27 acres of timber land.

"MILK SHAKE" at Irwin's drug store.

DIED.
Of cholera infantum, at 4:15 p. m. on Monday, July 18th, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Hall, aged 4 months and 3 days.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence, on North Main st.

Grain In Store in Chicago.
Weekly Statement, compiled from the books of the State Warehouse Registrar, showing the amount, in bushels, of each kind of grain in store in the Public Warehouses of Chicago, at the close of business on

SATURDAY, July 16, 1887.

Kind of Grain	Amount in Store at Close of Business	Amount in Store at Close of Business Last Year
Wheat	1,481,292	1,053,200
Corn	414,267	1,050,000
Oats	262,221	262,221
Rye	18,710	30,729
Barley	12,220	12,220
Total	2,184,610	2,408,350

Net decrease during the week, 2,184,610 bushels.

J. W. BURST.
Warehouse Registrar.

We have taken the agency for Central Illinois for the "CALIGRAPH," the best writing machine on the market. Business men interested will do well to examine its merits. We carry a stock of the machines ready to deliver at a moment's notice. Also all supplies, ribbons, etc., for the Caligraph and Remington.

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WEATHER from swampy land or stagnant pool, or from the deadly gasses of city sewers, malarial poisons are the same. Ayer's Ague Cure, taken according to directions, is a warranted specific for malarial disorders.

The Chicago Grain Market.
The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by C. C. Caldwell, Commission Merchant:

WHEAT—70 July; 70½ Aug; 72½ Sept; 74½ Oct.
Corn—36½ July; 38½ Aug; 39½ Sept; 39½ Oct.
Oats—26½ July; 26½ Aug; 26½ Sept; 27 Oct.
Rye—17.00 July; 17.00 Aug; 17.00 Sept.
Lard—\$6.65 July; \$6.70 Aug; \$6.80 Sept.
Beans—\$7.92 July; \$7.92 Aug; \$8.05 Sept.
Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 17,000; prospects lower.
Cattle, 10,000; market weak. Prospects lower.
Car Lots—Wheat: Winter 112; Spring 10; Corn, 185; Oats, 131.
WHITE Vests for barkeepers, at B. Sine's ddt

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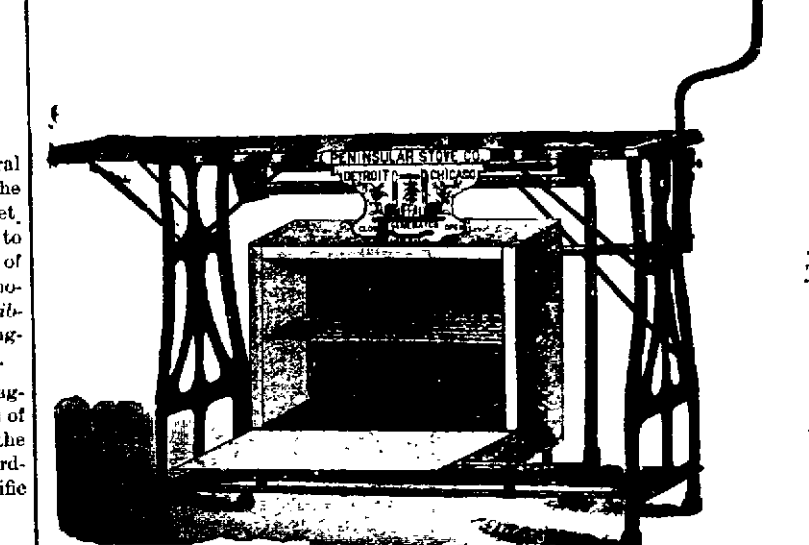
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